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We strive at all times to give service to our customers; we instruct every one in our employ, to be efficient and courteous. We will greatly appreciate, being informed of any act to the contrary.

### How to Order Dahlias

It would be well for each purchaser, when making out an order, to name several varieties as a second choice, for the reason that some of the varieties may be out of stock when the order reaches us; or if not familiar with varieties, we will gladly make selections for you if you will mention the colors and forms wanted. Long experience places each variety before us as an open book. No mail orders filled for less than one dollar.

# Why Not Send a Present?

The national slogan of the Florists' Association appeals to not only the human heart, but the reason as well: "Say It With Flowers."

Flowers are the pure gold of the human thought, requiring neither scholarship or great intelligence in the interpretation.

From the earliest history of the race they have had a place reserved in the human heart, speaking its best emotions. No more enduring or appropriate expression of friendship could possibly be made than a present of a shrub, plant, or collection of choice dahlias or gladioli, reminding one daily of a friendship, affection, or association of a pleasant past or present.

Many of the items or made up collections among these pages are just suited to this purpose and may be sent at moderate cost. Page 9.

### TERMS OF BUSINESS

First—The cash must accompany the order.

**Second**—Remittances may be sent in any way most convenient to the purchaser.

Third—Prices quoted include postage or express charges to all railway points in the United States when purchased at retail, except where noted

Fourth—Non-Warranty: We guarantee the safe arrival of goods by mail or express and will continue to use the same careful, painstaking methods in filling orders with stock of known vitality and of superior merit, but will not be responsible for future results or failures. Errors should be reported at once.

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### PURCHASERS OF DAHLIAS MAY TAKE THE FOLLOWING LIBERAL DISCOUNTS

Orders amounting to \$10.00, add stock to the value of 10% of the order.

Orders amounting to \$20.00, add stock to the value of 15% of the order.

Orders amounting to \$25.00 or over, add stock to the value of 20% of the order.

No further discounts allowed on sets or made-up collections where a discount is already figured off or where special rates are given. Nursery department prices are also net.

Don't be surprised if you find an "Extra" in your order. We try to show appreciation.

NOTE—CASH DISCOUNTS ARE NOT PERMISSIBLE. THE DISCOUNT MUST BE TAKEN IN STOCK. ORDER EXTRA STOCK FOR DISCOUNT VALUE.



### "TAKEN FOR A RIDE"

Surely this is not a Dahlia. No, you are right, it is not. There are some very large Dahlias grown in and about Denver, but not so large as to require a truck to move them.

The picture above shows one of the WILMORE NURSERY trucks moving an oversize evergreen.

We are now prepared to give you better service, than we could ever have hoped to do in the past. The above tree-mover is the most modern equipment money can buy, and does its work well. We are limited to a six-foot diameter ball of earth; due to the six-foot arch into which the tree roots and ball slide thru, in loading to haul away and transplant in new location. Nearly all trees up to nine inches caliper, (distance thru the trunk a few inches above ground-level), can be safely moved with a six-foot ball; and it is not often one is required to move a tree larger than that.

Estimates cheerfully given. Just mention the size, caliper and kind of tree to be moved, and how far.

We handle a complete line of Evergreens, Shade and Ornamental Trees and Shrubs, Roses, Vines and Hardy Perennial Plants.

See Lists beginning next page

### NURSERY DEPARTMENT

# Trees, Shrubs, Fruits, Evergreens, Roses, Vines, and Hardy Perennials

Buy Colorado grown Nursery Stock. No stock can be obtained in any section of the United States with better root systems or of hardier growth than that produced in our mile-high altitude; this means that losses are held to a minimum. All our stock has passed inspection of the State Authorities and pronounced free of injurious insect pests and disease.

Trees, Shrubs, Tree Fruits and Evergreens are NOT PREPAID where shipments are made. They travel express or freight—charges collect. Other items herein listed are prepaid at quoted prices.

We also have larger and smaller sizes of most of the following. Prices on application. If what you desire is not listed, write for quotation.

### **DECIDUOUS TREES**

### ACER-MAPLE

Mostly deciduous trees, used extensively for lawn, park and street planting. Most of the species are hardy in northern states. Ordinary soil is satisfactory for Maples. Strong and free growing subjects.

Acer ginnala; Amur Maple (to 20 ft.) Graceful shrub or tree. Flowers fragrant with conspicuous red fruit throughout the summer. In autumn the foliage changes to brilliant red. 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 4-5 ft., \$1.50; 5-6 ft., \$2.00.

A. platanoides; Norway Maple (40 to 50 ft.) Very popular variety for either lawn or street planting. Forms a perfect rounded head, with large, deep green foliage. 6-8 ft., \$2.00; 8-10 ft., \$3.00.

A. platanoides var. Schwedleri; Schwedler's Maple (40 to 50 ft.) This Maple is one of the most attractive trees under cultivation. It is often called Purple Leaf Maple, because of its reddish purple, leaves in the spring. 6-8 ft., \$2.75; 8-10 ft., \$4.00; 1½-1½ in., \$5.50; 1½-2 in., \$8.00; 2-2½ in., \$11.00; 2½-3 in., \$15.00.

A. saccharinum; Silver Maple. (60 to 80 ft.) This is a fast growing maple and well known. Leaves are silverish underneath. 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.00.

A. saccharinum var. Skinneri; Skinner's Cut-leaved Maple (to 50 ft.) A

very attractive form of Silver Maple with dense cut leaved foliage, and graceful, drooping branches. Rapid grower. 1½-2 in., \$4.00.

### BETULA-BIRCH

Trees and shrubs, thrive on moist sandy soils Suitable for northern climates.

Betula alba var. pendula laciniata; Cutleaf Weeping Birch. (30 to 40 ft.) A graceful, white barked tree with drooping limbs and delicately cut-leaved foliage. Highly recommended for lawn and park planting. 5-6 ft., \$2.50; 6-8 ft., \$3.00; 8-10 ft., \$4.00; 1-1¼ in. caliper, \$6.00; 1¼-1½ in. caliper, \$7.50. Balled and burlapped trees on above at \$10.00 per in. caliper.)

### CELTIS-HACKBERRY

Trees or shrubs with alternate Elmlike leaves. Most species are hardy in northern states, where they are grown for shade and ornament.

Celtis occidentalis; Hackberry. (40 to 50 ft.) We consider this tree one of the best. It has a rapid spreading growth similar to the American Elm. Limbs are seldom broken from wind and it is free from insects and disease. 6-8 ft., \$1.25; 8-10 ft., \$1.75.

### CRATAEGUS-HAWTHORN

Spiny deciduous shrubs or small trees. Desirable ornamental subjects

Crataegus coccinea; Thicket Hawthorn (to 10 ft.) Shrubs or small trees, bearing white flowers, followed by a dull red fruit which it carries well into the winter. In the autumn, the leaves turn into a galaxy of color. Very hardy. 4-5 ft., \$2.00; 5-6 ft., \$3.00.

### ELAEAGNUS-OLEASTER

Ornamental shrubs or small trees. Grow in any well-drained soil and sunny location.

Elaeagnus angustifolia; Bussian Olive (20 to 40 ft.) An ornamental tree of special value; attractive silver gray leaves, grayish white berries. It blooms profusely in June, flowers yellow and very fragrant. An excellent tree for semi-arid districts. Desirable for mass planting. Used frequently for hedges and windbreaks. Very hardy. 5-6 ft., \$1.00; 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.00. (Calipered trees at \$2.25 per inch.)

### GLEDITSIA-HONEY LOCUST

Planted as specimen and for shade; they are adapted to most soils.

Gleditsia triacanthos var. inermis; Honey Locust. (50 to 60 ft.) This is the thornless form of Honey Locust. Fragrant white flowers in May. Long lived, hardy tree. Succeeds on most any kind of soil. Not affected by borers. 6-8 ft., \$1.50; 8-10 ft., \$2.00. Calipered trees at \$2.50 per inch.

Juglans nigra; Black Walnut. Description unnecessary for this old favorite. Valuable for its wood, nuts and landscaping effect. 6-8 ft., \$1.75; 8-10 ft., \$2.50. Calipered trees at \$2.50 per inch.

Koelreuteria paniculata; Golden Rain Tree. (25 ft.) Ornamental tree of handsome foliage arranged like Mt. Ash leaves. Large panicles of yellow flowers, followed by seed pods resembling Japanese lanterns. A distinct novelty. 5-6 ft., \$2.00; 6-8 ft., \$2.50.

### MALUS—APPLES

Trees and shrubs of high ornamental and commercial values.

Malus ioensis var. plena; Bechtels Howering Crab. (12 to 15 ft.) A beautiful, double pink, flowering crab with fragrant flowers, May-June. Perfectly hardy, succeeds well in most soils not extremely wet. The only fragrant double crab. 2-3 ft., \$1.50; 3-4 ft., \$2.00; 4-5 ft., \$3.00.

Hopa Crab; Similar to the Bechtels Crab, but taller grower. Blossoms are cerese-red in color. Highly recommended. 4-5 ft., \$2.00; 5-6 ft., \$2.50.

### PLATANUS-SYCAMORE

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P. occidentalis. American Sycamore. (30 to 40 feet.) The only Sycamore that has proved hardy in this climate. Large leaves, mostly smooth bark, and a shapely tree of great beauty. 8-10 ft., \$5.00; 1¼-1½ in., \$7.50.

### POPULUS—POPLAR, ASPEN AND COTTONWOOD

Trees and shrubs with soft wood. Widely planted for avenues, windbreaks, and ornament.

Populus alba var. pyramidalis; Bolleana Poplar. (50 to 60 ft.) One of the most striking of the columnar type trees. The bark is smooth and of a light green color. It has silvery foliage and is a very rapid grower.

5- 6	ft.	, \$1.	00	\$ 8.50	per	ten
6- 8	ß ft.	, \$1.	25	\$11.00	per	ten
8-10	ft.	, \$1.	75	\$15.00	per	ten
$1\frac{1}{4}$	to	$1\frac{1}{2}$	in.,	\$2.25\$20.00	$\mathbf{per}$	ten
$1\frac{1}{2}$	to	2	in.,	\$3.25\$30.00	per	ten
2	to	2 1/2	in.,	\$4.50\$40.00	per	ten

Populus nigra italica; Lombardy Poplar. Grows tall and symmetrical. Branches close to the ground and is fine for screen purposes or landscape work. A picturesque tree. 5-6 ft., 75c; 6-8 ft., \$1.00; 8-10 ft., \$1.25; 1½-1½ in. cal., \$1.75. (Ten or more of a size on the above, 20% discount.)



Bechtel's Crab

Populus sargentii; Cottonless Cottonwood. (60 to 90 ft.) This is the regular Western Broadleaf Cottonwood except that it does not bear cotton. Recommended for large estates and farms. 6-8 ft., \$1.00; 8-10 ft., \$1.50; 1\frac{1}{4}\cdot -1\frac{1}{2}\cdot in., \$2.50.

### SALIX-WILLOW

Woody plants, grown for ornament, screens, shelter, holding of banks, and some of the species for the twigs from which baskets are made. Adapted to moist conditions Grow rapidly.

Salix niobe; Niobe Weeping Willow. (30 to 35 ft.) This willow is a hybrid between the White and Crack Willows. It is an exceptionally strong, hardy, graceful tree. Splendid weeping habit, 5-6 ft., 75c; 6-8 ft., 81.00; 8-10 ft., 81.50; 114-115; in., 82.25;  $1\frac{1}{2}-2$  in., 83.00;  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$  in., 84.00.

**NOTE**—The Niobe Willow is not guaranteed. We deliver good live trees but are not responsible for future results at above prices.

### SORBUS-MOUNTAIN ASH

Deciduous trees or shrubs, most of the species are hardy in the north, and will thrive even in dry soil. Sorbus aucuparia; European Mountain Ash. (20 to 40 ft.) A valuable ornamental tree with scarlet berries from July to winter, also beautiful fern-like green foliage. The combination of berries and foliage makes this one of the most striking and beautiful trees that grow. 5-6 ft., \$1.50; 6-8 ft., \$2.00; 8-10 ft., \$3.00.

Tilia americana; American Linden. (30 to 40 ft.) Suitable for parks or lawns. Intensely fragrant yellow flowers, and broad top, which gives plenty of shade. 6-8 ft., \$2.50; 8-10 ft., \$3.50.

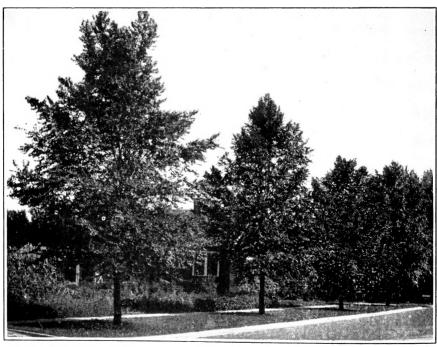
### ULMUS-ELM

Elms are favorite shade and avenue trees and some of them being among the hardiest lawn and street trees.

Ulmus americana; American Elm. Long spreading branches and most commonly known of all Elms. Slower growing than the popular Chinese Elm. 6-8 ft., \$1.25; 8-10 ft., \$1.75.

Ulmus americana moline; Moline Elm. Similar to the above, but pyramidal in shape. A striking and beautiful tree. 2-2 1/2 in. cal., \$5.00.

### THE WONDERFUL CHINESE ELM



A street planting of Chinese Elm (Ulmus Pumila). Trees are seven years old, forty feet high, ten inches in diameter.

### CHINESE ELM

(Continued from page 4)

The beautiful Chinese Elm (Ulmus pumila) is a very rapid growing tree, often attaining a height of 40 feet or more with a trunk circumference of thirty-five inches or more in six years. This Elm is gradually replacing the other elms for shade and parking trees.

The U.S. Department of Agriculture in its Bulletin No. 945 says:

"It is a rapid grower, with slender, almost wiry branches. It is one of the first trees to leaf out in the spring and the last to shed its leaves in the fall. Remarkably free from the usual plant diseases and insect injuries so common in many of the elms.

"It is very hardy and has proved valuable under a greater variety of climatic and soil conditions than any tree yet introduced. Very favorable reports have been received from varieties." received from practically every section of the country.

"Its resistance to drought, alkali, and extremes of temperature render it an especially valuable tree." (Caliper is the diameter of trunk at the base)

Strong, well shaped and well rooted trees, at following prices:-

		I	Each	Per 10
5-6 ft.			\$ .85	\$ 7.50
6-8 ft.			1.25	11.00
8-10 ft.			1.75	15.00
1 1/4 - 1 1/2	in.	Cal	2.50	22.00
$1\frac{1}{2} - 2$	in.	Cal	3.00	26.00
2 -2 1/2	in.	Cal.	4.00	35.00
2 ½ - 3	in.	Cal	5.50	50.00
3 -3 1/2	in.	Cal	7.50	70.00

Prices on larger sizes up to 6-inch Caliper-on request.

We have some nice seedlings that would do to plant out as windbreaks on farms, estates, etc., at \$6.00 per 100 or \$50.00 per 1,000, 2-3 ft. size.

### ORNAMENTAL SHRUBS

### BERBERIS-BARBERRY

widely Barberries are grown hedges and as specimen bushes for their general beauty and for the attractive flowers in spring and the fruits in au-tumn and winter. The evergreen species do best in moist well-drained light loam, but the deciduous species may have drier soils.

Berberis aquifolium; Oregon Holly-rape. (to 3 ft.) Evergreen shrub, spiny-toothed leaves, glossy, dark green above. Yellow flowers and dark blue, grape-like berries. Balled and burlapped. 12-18 in., \$1.75; 18-24 in., \$2.50.

Berberis thunbergi; Japanese Barberry (4 to 5 ft.) Pale yellow flowers. April-May. A splendid hardy hedge plant. Also fine for mass planting. Brilliant red fruit and foliage in autumn. 18-24 in., 60c; 2-2½ ft., 75c.

Berberis thunbergi var. atropurpurea; Red-leaved Barberry. (3 to 6 ft.) This is a variety of the Japanese barberry. The foliage is a rich lustrous red, becoming more brilliant and gorgeous throughout the summer and in the fall changes to vivid orange. scartet and red shades. 18-24 in., 75c; 2-2½ ft., \$1.00.

Berberis thunbergi pluriflora erecta; Truehedge Columnberry; U. S. Plant Patent No. 110. Often called the "ready made hedge." May be used for formal hedge, individual specimens, window boxes, and similar plantings without pruning. Often mistaken for Boxwood, heacure of externally formal shape and pruning. Often mistaken for Boxwood, because of extremely formal shape, and dense glossy foliage. Highly recommended.

18 - 24	in.,	each,	60c; per	25	\$12.00
$2 - 2\frac{1}{2}$	ft.,	each,	90c; per	25	\$18.00
2.1/2 - 3	ft.	each	\$1.25: ne	er 25	\$27.50

### BUDDLEIA-BUTTERFLY BUSH

Even when buddleias are not hardy north, the roots may survive with win-ter protection. They thrive in sunny lo-cations in rich well-drained soil.

Buddleia davidi var. magnifica; Oxeye Butterflybush; (5 to 6 ft.) A perenulal in this climate. Of rapid growth with very green foliage and attractive lilac flowers. Blooms from June-October. The flowers are borne in dense cylindrical spikes from 12 to 15 inches in length by 3 inches in diameter. It succeds everywhere and flowers freely the first season. No. 1, 50c.

### CARAGANA-PEA TREE

(Pea Shrub)

They should be planted in sunny positions in open soil.

Caragana arborescens; Siberian Pea Tree. (12 to 15 ft.) An attractive dense growing shrub with bright green, small locust-like leaves. In early spring it bears numerous pea-like yellow flowers, followed by small pea-shaped pods that remain after the leaves have fallen. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft., 75c.

C. aurantiaca; Dwarf Pea-Shrub. 4 ft.) Bushy and spreading with very showy orange blossoms and minute dark green leaves. A slow growing diminutive shrub. Thrives in dry sunny position. Used for hedging purposes, or as an individual specimen. 18-24 in., 85c.

### CARYOPTERIS-BLUEBEARD

Caryopteris incana. Shrub to 5 ft. and often dying back, and treated as a perennial herb. Lavender-blue flowers in autumn. Sometimes called "blue in autumn. Se spires." 2 yr. 75c each; 3 yr. \$1.00 each.

### CORNUS-DOGWOOD

Dogwoods are useful for group plantings and as single specimens.

Cornus alba var. sibirica; Coral Dogwood. (8 to 10 ft.) Hardy, vigorous, upright shrub producing small white flowers. April-May. Porcelain-blue fruit. Bright red bark in winter. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

Cornus stolonifera var. coloradensis; Colorado Dogwood. (to 10 ft.) Brownish-red branches. Dull white flowers, May-June. Blue fruit. Vigorous grower, hardy. Foliage turning in autumn to purple-red. 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

Cornus stolonifera var. lutea; Goldentwig Dogwood. (8 to 10 ft.) Similar to Colorado Dogwood only with bright yellow bark, fine winter effect. 3-4 ft.,

### COTONEASTER

Cotoneaster acutifolia; Peking Cotoneaster. (6 to 8 ft.) A graceful shrub ideal for foundation or full sun planting. The brilliant autumn foliage and black fruits remain well into the winter. 2-3 ft., 85c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### CYDONIA-QUINCE

Attractive ornamental subjects

Cydonia japonica; Flowering Quince. (5 to 6 ft.) Well known shrub producing showy scarlet flowers in April. Greenish-yellow quince-like fruits. Spiny branches. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

### EUONYMUS-SPINDLE TREE

Euonymus alatus; Winged Burning Bush. (to 8 ft.) Yellow flowers May-June. Interesting corky, winged branches. Leaves turning brilliant crimson in autumn. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.50.

**Euonymus alatus compacta.** Similar to the above, but bushier and dwarfer in growth habit. 2-3 ft., \$1.00.

Euonymus europeus; European Burning Bush. (16 to 12 ft.) A large shrub, with light yellow flowers in drooping clusters, followed by brilliant rose-colored berries. Takes on a most beautiful scarlet foliage in fall. 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

### FORSYTHIA-GOLDEN BELLS

Forsythias are amongst the showiest spring-blooming shrubs. They are not particular as to soil.

Forsythia suspensa Var fortunei; Golden Bells. (to 8 ft.) Upright, arching branches. Golden yellow flowers early in April. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00

### HOLODISCUS

H. discolor; Ocean Spray. (5 to 8 ft.) A beautiful hardy shrub and a native of Washington and Idaho. Large soft panicles of small creamy white flowers, blooming in June and July. Leaves of soft green, slightly lobed and wrinkled. This shrub is highly recommended for all plantings and is worthy of a prize spot in any garden. 2-3 ft., \$1.90; 3-4 ft., \$1.25

### HYDRANGEA

Hydrangeas require a rich, porous and somewhat moist soil; they bloom most freely in full sun. They should be pruned rather severely in early spring.

Hydrangea paniculata var. grandiflora; Peegee Hydrangea. (4-5 ft.) A very hardy shrub with large trusses of showy double white flowers, blending into pink and bronze shades in autumn. September to October. 2 year, 75c; 3 year, \$1.00.

#### KOLKWITZIA

Kolkwitzia amabilis; Beauty Bush. (to 6 ft.) Bell-shaped flowers, pink with yellow throat, bloms May-June. Very graceful shrub, hardy. 2-3 ft., \$1.00.

### LESPEDEZA

Lespedeza formosa; Purple Bushclover. (3 to 4 ft.) An herbaceous shrub with attractive purple flowers in September. Quite pendant when in bloom. 2 year No. 1, 75c; 3 year, \$1.00.

### LIGUSTRUM-PRIVET

Privets are commonly planted for hedges and in shrubberies for ornament, and sometimes as single specimens. They are not particular as to soil.

Ligustrum amurense; Amur Privet. (to 15 ft.) Used extensively. Valuable, hardy hedge plant with rich attractive foliage. See prices under Hedges, folfollowing Shrubs. (Page 8.)

L. vulgare; European Privet. (to 15 ft.) Old, but still one of the best. Valuable, hardy hedge plant. Attractive dark green foliage. See prices under Hedges following Shrubs. (Page 8.)

### LONICERA-HONEYSUCKLE

Honeysuckles are very popular ornamental subjects. They thrive in any good garden soil.

Lonicera morrowi; Morrows Honeysuckle. Creamy white flowers, followed by orange colored berries. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

Lonicera tatarica var. rosea; Pink Tatarian Honeysuckle. (to 12 ft.) Hardy vigorous grower. Bright pink flowers in abundance, April-May. Red fruit. One of the most noticeable shrubs. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.



Virginal (Philadelphus)
(See description top page 7)

### PHILADELPHUS-MOCK ORANGE

Floriferous popular shrubs, very fragrant. If pruning is needed it should be after flowering, since the blossoms appear from wood of the previous year.

Philadelphus coronarius; Sweet Mock Orange. (to 10 ft.) A popular well known, hardy shrub. White, fragrant flowers in May-June. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

P. lemoinei; Lemoine Mock Orange. (to 5 ft.) Semi-dwarf with attractive foliage, producting dense racemes of small fragrant flowers. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

P. virginalis; Virginal Mock Orange. (to 8 ft.) Medium grower. Loads down with beautiful fragrant semi-double flowers over a long season, beginning in May. 2-3 ft.. 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 4-5 ft., \$1.25

(See cut, page 6)

### PHYSOCARPUS-NINEBARK

Deciduous spirea-like shrubs.

Physocarpus opulifolius; Common Ninebark. (to 9 ft.) A very hardy shrub with white flowers in May-June, followed by reddish-brown pods. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00; 5-6 ft., \$1.50.

P. opulifolius var. nanus; Dwarf Ninebark. (4 to 5 ft.) A dwarf form of Ninebark. White flowers in clusters. Small leaves. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.25; 4-5 ft., \$1.75.

### PRUNUS-STONE FRUITS

Includes plums, apricots, peaches, cherries and cherry-laurels. They are not particular as to soil.

Prunus cistena; Purple Leaf Plum. (to 10 ft.) A very attractive shrub. Hardy. Leaves are purplish-red in color. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.50; 4-5 ft., \$2.50.

P. glandulosa var. sinensis; Double Pink Flowering Almond. (to 5 ft.) Beautiful double rose colored flowers, snuggling tight to the branches. Blooming in April and May. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.50.

P. triloba; Flowering Plum. (10 ft. or more.) A handsome, hardy, vigorous, large shrub or small tree with double pink flowers in April-May. Will succeed over a wide territory. Superior to the Flowering Almonds. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.50.

### RHAMNUS-BUCKTHORN

Rhamnus cathartica; Common Buckthorn. Extremely hardy; dark green leaves, black berries. Valuable for hedging. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00; 5-6 ft., \$1.25.

Rhamnus frangula; Alder Buckthorn. (to 12 ft.) Deciduous. Small greenish flowers in umbels. Fruit red turning black when ripe. 4-5 ft., \$1.25.

### RHUS-SUMAC

Planted mostly in shrubbery borders for the luxurious effect of the pinnate foliage, the bright red autumn color, and the dense fruit-heads.

Rhus typhina var. laciniata; Shredded Sumac (10 ft. or more.) The leaflets are laciniately tootned very delicate and fern-like. Leaves turn into an array of color in autumn, also clusters of crimson berries. Very rapid grower. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00; 5-6 ft., \$1.50.

### RIBES-CURRANTS, GOOSEBERRIES

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**Ribes alpinum; Mountain Currant.** (to 6 ft.) A hardy, dense shrub suitable for hedges or mass planting. Scarlet berries in late summer. 18-24 in., 75c. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

Ribes aureum; Golden Currant. Rapid, upright grower producing fragrant yellow flowers in April-May. 4-5 ft., \$1.00; 5-6 ft., \$1.25.

#### ROSA-ROSE

A large genus of shrubs, furnishing many ornamental subjects.

Rosa foetida var. bicolor; Austrian Copper Rose. (to 6 ft.) One of the best of the brier roses. The flowers are coppery colored, shaded with bronze and yellow, very attractive. No. 1, 2-yr. \$1.00 each; 2-3 ft., \$1.50 each; 3-4 ft., \$2.00 each.

R. rubrifolia; Red-leaf Rose. (to 6 ft.) A distinct novelty of the rose family, highly desirable for its contrast effect of red-leaf foliage in combination with other shrubs and evergreens. Bright pink flowers, followed by red fruit pods. 18-24 in., 75e; 2-3 ft. \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

#### SALIX-WILLOW

Salix irrorata; Bluestem Willow (to 10 ft.) Indigenous shrub. Twigs covered with a bluish glacous bark. Leaves dark green with whitish midrib. Densely flowered with dainty "pussies" in early spring. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

Salix; Red Stem Pussy Willow. This willow grows similar to the Blue Stem Willow. The stems are red similar to the red dogwood, and the "pussies" are a little larger than those of the Blue Stem Willow. 3 to 4 ft., 75c each.

### SHEPHERDIA—BUFFALOBERRY

Shepherdia argentea; Silver Buffaloberry (to 18 ft.) Shrubs or small trees. Valuable for its great hardiness. Silverish leaves and red fruits. The fruit is edible and can be made into jellies. Adapted to dry rocky soils. 4-5 ft., \$1.50.

### SORBARIA—FALSE SPIREA

They spread rather rapidly by suckrs. Thrive in rich moist soil.

Sorbaria sorbifolia; Ural False Spirea. (4 to 5 ft.) Leaves out very early in the spring, showing very attractive ashlike foliage, followed with large, fluffy heads of white flowers, June-July. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

### SPIREA

Popular ornamental subjects for lawn and landscape planting. Spireas thrive in any good soil but require plenty of moisture and sunny exposure.

Spiraea arguta; Garland Spirea. (to 6 ft.) Upright, hardy shrub, small bright green leaves covered with single white flowers April-May We consider this Spirea much better than the populer Vanhoutte Spirea. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

S. billiardi; Billiard Spirea. (to 6 ft.) Has dense spikes of rose-pink flowers that crown sparsely twigged erect branches. For shrubbery groups, natural plantings and moist places. July-September. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft.,

(Spireas continued, next page)

- S. froebeli; Frobel Spirea. (to 4 ft.) Vigorous, spreading grower. Bright pink flowers, May-June. Purplish tips in spring. Beautiful autumn colors. Very hardy. Used extensively, and a fine dwarf shrub. 18-24 in., 60c; 2-2½ ft., 85c.
- S. vanhouttei; Vanhoutte Spirea. (to 6 ft.) Commonly called Bridal Wreath. One of the best shrubs. Graceful habit of growth. Pure white flowers April-May. Blooms profusely. 2-3 ft., 50c; 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

### SYMPHORICARPOS-SNOWBERRY

Grown for the ornamental fruits, as well as the foliage and attractive habit. Not particular as to soil.

Symphoricarpos racemosus; Common Snowberry. (to 5 ft.) Attractive green foliage, pink flowers June-July. Large white fruit in clusters in autumn. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft, 75c.

S. vulgaris; Coralberry (to 5 ft.) Sometimes called Red Snowberry and Indian Currant. Hardy shrub, succeeds everywhere. Coral red berries in Autumn and winter. 2-3 ft., 60c; 3-4 ft., 75c.

### SYRINGA-LILAC

As a vernacular name, Syringa is sometimes applied to the Mock Orange or Philadelphus. Lilacs are among the most popular ornamental shrubs. They thrive in fertile rather moist soils.

Syringa jostkaea; Hungarian Lilac. (to 10 ft.) Upright grower, attractive dark green foliage, dark violet, flowers in June. A sure bloomer. 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00.

- S. persica; Persian Lilac. (8 to 10 ft.) Spreading habit. Slender arching branches with small leaves. Pale lilac flowers, April-May. 2-3 ft., 75c, 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 4-5 ft., \$1.25.
- S. rothomagensis; Chinese Lilac (to 9 ft.) Upright vigorous grower; reddish purple flowers in early May. One of the best for general planting, for reasons of its free blooming qualities and hardiness 2-3 ft., 75c; 3-4 ft., \$1.00; 4-5 ft., \$1.25.

S. vulgaris var. French Hybrids. (8 to 10 ft.) Attractive foliage, blooming after other varieties, rarely if ever falling in crop-bloom. All colors from white to deepest purple. 3-4 ft., \$2.00; 4-5 ft., \$2.50; 5-6 ft., \$3.00.

#### TAMARIX

Grown for ornament, as wind-breaks, and along the coast as they withstand salt spray. Necessary to every planting.

Tamarix hispida; Kashgar Tamarix. (15 to 20 ft.) The best Tamarix for this climate. Feathery silvery-green foliage, with long panicles of lavenderpink flowers Remaining in bloom throughout most of June and July. 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-5 ft., \$1.00.

#### VIBURNUM

Some of the viburnums are known as haws. They are amongst the most popular shrubs, and many of them assume attractive autumn colors. They make good bird refuges because of their autumn and winter fruits. They are not particular as to soil.

Viburnum dentatum; Arrowwood (to 12 ft.) Attractive foliage, bushy growth, single white flowers, April-May, followed by bluish-black fruit, 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

V. lantana; Wayfaring Tree (10 to 15 ft.) Upright, attractive green leaves, single white flowers May. Bright red fruit changing to black. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

V. lentago; Nannyberry. (18 to 20 ft.) Large growing, upright shrub or small tree. Single white flowers in May. Shining green leaves. Large blue-black fruit. Leaves turning purplish and reddish in fall. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

V. opulus; European Cranberry Bush (High Bush Cranberry) (10 to 12 ft.) Well known hardy shrub. Single white flowers, April-May. followed by scarlet fruit hanging on until spring. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

V. obulus var. sterile; Common Snowbell. (10 to 12 ft.) Well known popular shrub. Blooms profusely. Large double white flowers. April-May. 2-3 ft., \$1.00; 3-4 ft., \$1.25.

### **HEDGE PLANTS**

There are many plants that can be used as a hedge. The Privet hedge makes the most formal of any and can be kept trimmed almost to any shape desired. The shrubs for hedging are of a lighter grade than those offered as plants for the garden, and where one wants a taller growing hedge, the shrubs should be used

### (See descriptions under shrubs)

PRICES OF HEDGES

NOTE—Where we do the planting of privet, add 30 per cent to these prices.

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PRIVET—	$\mathbf{Size}$	Per 25	Per 100	Per 1,000
Amur		\$3.00	\$11.00	\$100.00
Amur	18-24 in.	3.75	13.00	120.00
European	12-18 in.	4.00	15.00	120.00
European	18-24 in.	6.00	20.00	160.00
European	2-3 ft.	7.00	25.00	200.00
Barberry, Japanese		6.00	20.00	160.00
Spirea, Vanhoutte		7.00	25.00	200.00
Chinese Elm		2.00	6.00	50.00
Russian Olive		3.00	11.00	100.00
Russian Olive	2-3 ft.	4.50	16.00	150.00

# Our Landscape Department

We wish to call to the attention of all our customers or prospective customers, our landscaping department. We have at your disposal, men who are experienced and qualified for consultation on the individual problems relating to each and every planting, as hardly any two homes are alike. These men are capable, after seeing the various lines of the home and placement of the building in relation to its position on the property, to suggest not only the proper materials to be used, but also the proper positions that same should be placed to completely harmonize with the architecture of the building.

We stand ready at all times, in Denver or vicinity, to draw plans for a complete planting and submit same for your approval. We have landscaped many of Denver's finest homes and these satisfied customers are our greatest asset; consequently, we feel it will be to your advantage to figure with us in the landscaping of your home.

We have a large stock from which to make your selections and for which we make no extra charge. There is no obligation on your part in the event we are unable to satisfy you with our suggestions on the proposed planting. However, we feel certain you will find—when considering our reliability—prices, service, and fine quality of material to be used, that we can take care of you as satisfactorily and economically as anyone could desire.

A telephone call to GLendale 4333 will bring one of these men, who will cheerfully render any service desired by you.

### **ROSES**

These are all two year old, field grown, dormant plants. We contract northern grown roses, which prove hardier in this climate.

A trial order of these fine Roses will convince you of their merits.

All Roses on this page are 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen.

### **Bush Roses**

### Pink Shades

**BRIARCLIFF.** Handsome flowers of silvery rose-pink.

**DAINTY BESS.** The most popular single; the vigorous plants bear large clusters of waxy petaled rose-pink blooms with wine-red stamens.

**DAME EDITH** HELEN. Excellent shape, glowing pink, very double and deep buds,

**EDITOR McFARLAND.** Long pointed pink bud with a glow of amber and a paler edge. Fine for cutting.

MRS. HENRY BOWLES. Lasting, high-centered flowers of rosy pink shaded salmon; a good grower and profuse, continuous bloomer.

**OPHELIA.** Light salmon shading to pale yellow, popular.

**PINK RADIANCE.** Light silvery pink, prolific bloomer.

### Red Shades

**E. G. HILL.** Great massive blooms of deep red, velvety on the inside.

**ETOILE DE HOLLAND.** Large, double blooms of rich velvety crimson.

**GRENOBLE.** If the name was shortened to "Noble" it would fully describe this Rose. Scarlet-red without shading. Tall and strong plants.

**GRUSS AN TEPLITZ.** Medium sized, reddish-maroon, blooms in clusters.

**HADLEY.** Large. double, well formed flowers of rich crimson.

**HINRICH GAEDE.** Bright vermillion, toned gold; good form and fragrance.

**RED RADIANCE.** Bright rosy-red form of radiance, very vigorous.

VICTORIA HARRINGTON. Lasting, velvety dark red, intensely fragrant blooms on vigorous free flowering plants.

### Yellow Shades

FEU JOSEPH LOOYMANS. Profuse, continuous bloomer; long pointed buds and lasting cupped flowers of yellow shaded apricot.

**GOLDEN DAWN.** Buds sunflower yellow to lemon yellow, double and fragrant. Vigorous, free bloomer.

MRS. E. P. THOM. Pure double yellow, blooms profusely, bushy grower.

MRS. PIERRE S. DU PONT. Free flowering, double rich yellow.

**SOEUR THERESE.** Many long stemmed flowers of rich yellow, outside petals sometimes marked carmine, attractive and fully double.

**SOUV. DE CLAUDIUS PERNET.** Popular variety of pure sunflower yellow. Fine.

**SUNBURST.** Beautifully formed, rich yellow shaded orange.

**VILLE DE PARIS.** Lasting, well-shaped blooms of sunflower yellow.

#### White Shades

**CALEDONIA.** One of the best whites; long buds, large, double, lasting blooms.

**EDEL.** A strong grower with an abundance of ivory white blooms.

**K. A. VICTORIA.** Popular, snowy white rose, one of the best whites.

### Two Tone Shades

**AUTUMN.** Rich autumn colors, burntorange and yellow; splashed red. Well shaped, very double; long, strong stems. Profuse bloomer.

**CONDESA DE SASTAGO.** A very vigorous grower, full double blooms. The petals are distinctly two-tones, deep coppery pink inside and golden reverse. Highly recommended.

**DUQUESA DE PENARANDA.** A very effective color blend of apricot-orange and pink. A vigorous grower bearing a profusion of double blooms.

LADY MARGARET STEWART. Fine rich yellow, shading to orange red. Large blossoms.

MME. JOSEPH PERRAUD. High-centered, perfectly formed buds and double blooms, that shade from shell-pink at the edges to buff and orange in the center.

PRES. HERBERT HOOVER. Medium orange, center red shades, large flowers.

**TALISMAN.** Glowing golden yellow stained with copper-red and orange-rose on the inside of the petal.

### HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

**AMERICAN BEAUTY.** Popular, fragrant, deep pink-shaded soft carmine.

FRAU KARL DRUSCHKI. Large snow white, free bloomer, popular.

All Roses on this page are 75c each; \$7.50 per dozen.

### INSIST ON COLORADO GROWN STOCK

### **Climbing Roses**

Following varieties 65c each \$6.50 per dozen, except as noted.

**AMERICAN BEAUTY CLIMBER.** Large flowering crimson pink flowers, best grown as a pillar rose.

**BLAZE** (Patent No. 10). Climber, hardy everblooming, bright scarlet. Highly recommended. \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

**CRIMSON RAMBLER.** Small ruffled flowers, borne on individual stems, in clusters.

**DOROTHY PERKINS.** Soft shell-pink, small, crinkly, in great clusters.

**EXCELSIA.** Double scarlet-crimson blooms with light streaks and shaded. Clusters very large.

**NEW DAWN** (Patent No. 1). An excellent companion to Blaze; ever-blooming pink of Dr. W. Van Fleet, Vigorous and free-blooming. \$1.50 ea, \$15.00 per doz.

**PAUL'S SCARLET CLIMBER**, intense scarlet flowers of excellent shape and moderate size, borne in small trusses. Very popular.

**PRIMROSE.** Hardy, canary yellow, medium sized blooms.

**SILVER MOON.** Flowers semi-double, white, very large with brilliant yellow stamens.

### Patented Everblooming Bush Roses

(As space does not permit a long list of these extra-fine Roses, we have selected seven varieties as being our choice of the very best and most popular.)

BETTER TIMES (Plant Patent No. 23). The brilliant cerise flowers are large, double and delicately fragrant. Being produced on long, strong stems, they are excellent for cutting; foliage is leathery, dark green; a very free full bloomer. Its success is indication of the name. \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

COUNTESS VANDAL (Plant Patent No. 38). The Rose of Roses! "Countess" has been enthusiastically received by rose lovers everywhere. Its long pointed bud, its distinctive shadings of copperybronze suffused with soft gold, and its form are a continuous "movie" developing new beauty at all times during its long life. A leading seller among Hybrid Tea Roses. \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

**ECLIPSE** (Plant Patent No. 172). The international sensation of the year, awarded prizes in Rome, Paris and other test gardens. The long streamlined bud, enhanced by ornamental sepals, is of rich gold without shading. Petals are large and tough, but not numerous, averaging 20 to 25, with more in the autumn. Speaking of this Rose, a connoisseur remarked, "Elegance is preferable to opulence." The name "Eclipse" came about because the seedling bloomed for the first time on the day of the total eclipse, August, 1932, and it will go in commerce with the slogan, "It Eclipses 'em All." Gold medal American Rose Society. \$1.25 ea., \$12.50 per doz.

ETERNAL YOUTH (Patent Right Reserved). New. The perfectly formed buds are long pointed, colored a beautiful soft pink with yellow at the base of each petal. Half open the flowers retain their high center and their rich pink color. The full open flowers are comfortably double and expose a large center of graceful deep yellow stamens. The color remains a clear pink throughout, suffused with just a touch of salmon. The growth is vigorous. The foliage is abundant and there are always some flowers available. We consider this the long desired pink rose. \$1.50 ea., \$15.00 per doz.

McGREEDY'S SUNSET (Patent Rights Reserved). New. A variety which is aptly named. The outside of petals is a clear buttercup, tipped orange, while the inside is chrome yellow, flushed with scarlet as it opens. The color is intensified as the blooms expand and is at its best when fully opened. Flowers are of medium size, full and shapely with a pleasing fragrance, very freely borne on strong upright stems. Very sun resistant. Excellent in hot weather. Certificate of Merit. N. R. S. 1936. \$1.50 ea., \$15.00 per doz.

SIGNORA (Plant Patent No. 201). This Rose from the land of sunshine and Chianti wine, is a real masterpiece, in both plant and bloom. Long bud of a warm burnt sienna opening to a lighter hue toward mandarine. The plant is tall growing with every bloom on a long stem. Foliage is handsome. Indispensable to those who grow roses mainly for cutting. \$1.25 ea., \$12.50 per doz.

WILL ROGERS (Patent No. 256). Dark velvety crimson maroon, double, free blooming. Strong, vigorous, dark green foliage. \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

### New Floribundas

(This group of Roses are ideal for grouping in masses and are excellent for borders. All are ever-blooming. Of dwarfer habits than standard bush Roses.)

BETTY PRIOR (Patent Right Reserved. New. Outside of petals dark carmine, inside several shades lighter. Borne in large clusters on strong stems; very fragrant. Foliage pale green, tinted purple. Very vigorous and continuous bloomer. Unusually resistant to mildew and disease. Cert. of Merit, N. R. S., 1934, \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

**CARILLON** (Plant Patent No. 136). The Singing Rose! Always cheerful and gay! A much improved Mme, Edouard Herriot, and of easier culture. To be appreciated at its full value, Carillon should be planted in groups. The plant is branching and spreading, thus ideal to blanket a bed. The bud is orange-scarlet, longpointed and opens up to a lively coral-flame. \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

DONALD PRIOR (Patent right reserved). New. The flowers are semi-double, cup-shaped, bright scarlet, fragrant. Foliage dark green. Very free flowering. One of the most striking colors of the Floribunda group. \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

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### Floribunda Roses

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**PERMANENT WAVE** (Plant Patent No. 107). The name fits the case. The petals are fluted or waved, permanently from the bud stage to the finish. Blooms rather large for the type, in great clusters. Rosy pink with cerise edges, Handsome plants, may be grown tall enough for a low hedge. 75c ea., \$7.50 per doz.

ROCHESTER (Plant Patent No. 131). A lovely constantly flowering Rose of the bedding type. Great freedom of bloom. Blossoms of clear two-tone pink and buff, deeper in center, having coppery tinges and with yellow at the base of petals. Foliage heavy and disease-resistant. Growth vigorous. Extremely hardy, 85e ea. \$8.50 per doz.

SMILES (Patent right reserved). A lovely variety deserving the name "It Smiles At You." Brilliant salmon-pink flowers, semi-double, 3 inches across, in great masses all the time and of great duration in all weather. Medium-growing branching plants with handsome foliage, 85c each., \$8.50 per doz.

SUMMER SNOW (Patent Rights Reserved). White flowers, Clusters and flowers similar to Echo but crear white, Continuous in bloom, Very good, \$1.00

ea., \$10.00 per doz.

WORLD'S FAIR (Plant Patent applied for). The Rose sensation of 1939. Dedicated to the great New York World's Fair and admired by thousands there in "Gardens on Parade." Large clusters of velvety flowers of blackish scarlet all but hide the luxuriant foliage beneath. Received the first award in the 1940 All-American Rose Selections of Floribunda Classification. \$1.00 ea., \$10.00 per doz.

### FRUIT TREES

**Apples.** Two-year  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. and up, \$1.00 each; \$8.50 per 10.

Varieties-

Anoka Delicious McIntosh Rome Beauty Wine Sap

Dutchess Grimes Golden Jonathan

Wealthy Yellow Transparent

Crab Apple. Varieties-

Florence Red Siberian

**Cherries.** Two-year, 4-5 ft., \$1.00 each; \$8.50 per per 10.

Varieties-

Early Richmond, Large Montmorency English Morello

**Plums.** Two-year,  $4\frac{1}{2}$  ft. and up, \$1.00 each; \$8.50 per 10.

Varieties— Blue Damson Kahinta Sapa

Bradshaw Lombard Underwood Compass Opata Waneta Italian Prune Omaha \( \forall \) Wilmore

### SMALL FRUITS

Whitney

Blackberries-

Mersereau, 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

Currants-

Red Cherry. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz. Grapes. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen

Varieties—
Agawam, red
Beta, (Arbor Grape)
Concord, black
Moore's Early, black.
Niagara. white
Worden, black

Gooseberries-

Carrie, Houghton and Downing. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

**Raspberries.** 10c each; \$1.00 per doz.; \$6.00 per 100.

Varieties—

Kansas, blackcap St. Regis, everbearing red Latham, red

Strawberries-

Mastodon, everbearing. \$1.50 per 100; \$10.00 per 1,000. (Not guaranteed against mortality.)

### **VINES**

### **AMPELOPSIS**

Tendril climbing plants. Grown for covering walls, fences and arbors. They thrive in any good soil.

Ampelopsis quinquefolia var. engelmanni; Engelmann Creeper. (30 to 40 ft.) A rapid growing vine clinging tightly to brick, stone or stucco walls and climbing to a great height. It is a very hardy vine, and rarely shows winter injury even in the far north. Two-year-old plants, 50c each; \$5.00 per doz.

Ampelopsis tricuspidata; Japanese Creeper (Boston Ivy). (40 to 50 ft.) Beautiful foliage in spring and summer, changing to crimson-scarlet in autumn. Clings tight to brick, stone or concrete walls. Succeeds best in this latitude on the north or east side. 2 yr. No. 1, 60c each; \$6.00 per dozen. 3 yr., 75c; \$7.50 per dozen.

### CELASTRUS-BITTERSWEET

Celastrus scandens; American Bittersweet. Twining shrubs. Suitable for cov-

ering walls, trellises and the like. They thrive in common soils. Greenish white flowers in terminal racemes. Fruits in orange-yellow clusters, which remain all winter. 2 yr., 75c each.

### CLEMATIS-VIRGIN'S BOWER

Clematis prospers in fertile light loamy soil which is well drained.

Clematis jackmani; Jackman Clematis (to 10 ft.) Violet-purple flowers to 6 inches across, usually in threes. They bloom on wood of the season and may be pruned when dormant. Where the ground freezes about the roots the nematode disease is not prevalent. Potted. 2 yr. medium. \$1.00 each; bare root, 2 yr. No. 1, \$1.00 each. (Bare root plants for mail orders.)

**Note:** We guarantee good, strong, live plants on delivery, but will not be responsible for future results on Clematis Jackmani.

Clematis paniculata; Sweet Autumn Clematis (to 30 ft.) The flowers are of medium size, fragrant, pure white, borne in immense sheets in September. Should be provided with a trellis or something to climb as soon as it starts its growth. \$50c each; \$5.00 per doz. (Clematis should not be set, where the drip from the eaves falls upon it.)

### LONICERA-HONEYSUCKLE

Lonicera japonica var. halliana; Hall's Japanese Honeysuckle (to 25 ft.) Rapid growing vine with beautiful foliage. Delightfully fragrant creamy white flowers Makes a fine hedge or covering for walls or unsightly places. 2 yr. No. 1, 50c each.

Lonicera; Goldfiame Honeysuckle (to 20 ft.). A very hardy honeysuckle with large flame-coral trumpets lined with gold; fragrant after nightfall. Flowers the first year, reaching its full glory of bloom in early summer. Strong plants. \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

Lonicera sempervirens; Scarlet Trumphet Honeysuckle (to 30 ft.) A rapid growing vine with clusters of trumpetshaped scarlet flowers. Very hardy. 2 yr.. 50c each.

### POLYGONUM-FLEECE FLOWER

Polygonum baldschuanicum; Silver Fleecevine (to 20 ft.) Also called Silver Lace Vine and Bride's Veil. A hardy climber of recent introduction from the mountains of Turkestan. It is of rapid growth, frequently attaining a height of



Silver Lace Vine

10 to 14 feet in one season, producing a mass of foamy white flowers. 2 yr., 75c each; extra size, \$1 each.

### **CONIFERS**

The following is a list of the better varieties of evergreens that are being used extensively in landscaping. These trees are well rooted and well shaped and are worthy of any planting. We do not have Arbor Vitaes—they are not hardy here.

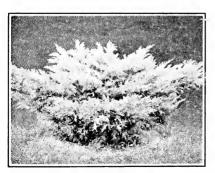
Evergreens especially selected for shape, beauty and color, cannot be sold at following prices.

Height specified after variety indicates height tree should attain at mamaturity. All conifers listed are hardy here. We have other species not listed and will be glad to give prices on anything you want. Prices on larger sizes

of those listed may be obtained upon application.

### JUNIPERUS-JUNIPER

Evergreen mostly, small trees and shrubs. Some Junipers often incorrectly called Cedars.



Juniper Pfitzeriana



Juniper Tamariscifolia

- J. chinensis var. pfitzeriana; Pfitzer Juniper (to 6 ft.) One of the best low-growing forms. Spreading habit. Foliage is attractive bluish-green. 18-24 in., 4.00;  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$  ft., 5.50;  $2\frac{1}{2}-3$  ft., 6.50; 3-4 ft., 8.00.
- **J. sabina; Savin Juniper** (to 4 ft.) Spreading form with slender branches and dark green leaves. Excellent for foundation work and for underplanting. 18-24 in., \$3.50; 2 to  $2\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$5.00;  $2\frac{1}{2}-3$  ft., \$6.00; 3-4 ft., \$7.50.
- J. sabina var. tamariscifolia; Tamarix Savin Juniper (to 2 ft.) An excellent creeping form. Foliage of fine texture and with a bluish-green hue. Grows very dense and never changes color. 12-18 in., \$2.75; 18-24 in., \$4.50; 2-2½ ft., \$6.00.



Juniper Scopulorum

J. scopulorum; Colorado Silver Juniper (to 30 ft.) Silvery foliage and close symmetrical upright growth. Thrives in hot, dry weather, when the color is the brightest. Very hardy. Best of the upright-growing Junipers. 3-4 ft., \$6.00; 4-5 ft., \$8.00; 5-6 ft., \$10.00; 6-7 ft., \$13.

### (Prices of larger sizes on request)

J. scopulorum; Ball or Globe type. Exactly as above, only they are sheared round, to give a very formal effect; to be used where one does not want height. 15-18 in., \$4:50; 18-24 in., \$6.00;  $2-2\frac{1}{2}$  ft., \$8.00;  $2\frac{1}{2}-3$  ft., \$11.00.

- The following eight varieties of Junipers, beginning with Gareei and concluded with Schotti, are all propagated by grafting from their respective parent-plants. Consequently the trees in each variety are identical with each other; as for example, the Pathfinders all contain the same foliage make-up, the same color, and the same uniformity throughout. Therefore, where an identical match in two or more trees is desired or necessary, as in formal plantings or similar effects, these grafts are indispensable, as this cannot be obtained in seedling types. They cover a wide range of color, from green to intense blue.
- **J. scopulorum Gareei.** About equally divided as to spread and upright growth. General growing habits similar to Pfitzer Juniper, and can be placed where either Pfitzers or Savins are used, or where a little more height is desired. Grayish-green foliage; an excellent addition to the Scopulorum family, 18-24 in., \$4.50 ea.; 2-2½ ft., \$6.00 ea.
- **J. scopulorum Moffeti.** A little more compact in growth than the Pathfinder variety. Foliage blue-green in color, and makes remarkable symmetry of growth. 4-5 ft., \$12.00 ea.; 5-6 ft., \$15.00 ea.
- J. scopulorum Pathfinder. In our opinion this is the best of many fine varieties introduced by Lloyd Moffet, of the Plumfield Nurseries, Fremont, Neb. A bluish-silver type, with very pyramidal habit of growth, Arbor Vitae-like flat foliage. Attracts instant attention, and most popular of the graffts; highly recommended. 4-5 ft., \$12.00 ea.; 5-6 ft., \$15.00 ea.
- J. scopulorum Sutherland. This type of evergreen is definitely green in color as compared to the other varieties of Scopulorum. It is bushier in growth habit than the others, and consequently wider at the various given heights, than is the case with other varieties of the same size. It's beauty in our opinion is to allow it to grow in a natural manner, without shearing; whereas most of the other varieties are markedly improved and tnickened by shearing. 4-5 ft., \$12.00 ea; 5-6 ft., \$15.00 ea.
- J. scopulorum Weiri. A medium blue colored foliage; well filled out growth, containing more of a prickly needle than found in Moffetti. 4-5 ft., \$12.00 ea.; 5-6 ft., \$15.00 ea.

### JUNIPER VIRGINIANA, REDCEDAR

J. virginiana cannarti; Cannart Juniper. This horticultural variety of Redecdar has been one of the leading favorites. Absolute green in color, it grows in a symmetrical, pyramidal shape, well covered with heavy green foliage, which runs to whipcord type rather than needle form. It has bluish berries that frequently occur in large clusters, giving the tree a most striking appearance. Should be frequently trimmed to produce compact shapely specimens. Widely known, and perfectly hardy. 3-3½ ft., \$8.50 ex.; 3½-4 ft., \$10.00 ex.

J. virginiana pyramidiformia hilli; Hill's Dundee Juniper. One of the most valuable Junipers introduced in recent years. It makes a compact pyramidal growth of moderate size. Summer coloring greyish-green, changing to a purplish tint in late fall and winter. An excellent variety for use in landscaping in contrast effect. Highly recommended. 5-6 ft., \$12.50 ea.; 6-7 ft., \$15.00 ea.

J. virginiana schotti; Schott Redcedar. Frequently mistaken for Cannart Juniper, but of a lighter yellowish-green foliage, and in formation of branchlet tips it grows nearly perpendicular, rather than horizontal, as in the Cannart variety. Otherwise the similarity between the two is nearly identical. 4-5 ft., \$10.00 ea.; 5-6 ft., \$12.50 ea.

### PICEA-SPRUCE

Tall evergreen trees of pyramidal habit and continuous trunk.

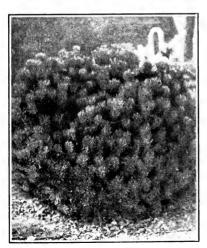
Picea pungens var. glauca; Colorado Blue Spruce (to 60 ft.) This tree is undoubtedly the most popular of the ornamental conifers throughout the country. This tree is referred to as "The Glory of the Conifers." "Select blues" at the following prices: 2½-3 ft., \$6.00; 3-3½ ft., \$7.50; 3½-4 ft., \$9.00. (Larger trees to 12 ft., prices on application.)

P. engelmanni; Engelmann Spruce (to 90 ft.) Somewhat similar to Colorado Spruce Dense growth and bluish. 6-7 ft., \$17.00; 7-8 ft., \$20.00.

### PINUS-PINE

Large evergreen trees, furnishing valuable timber and ornamental trees, a few dwarf and compact forms.

Pinus edulis; Pinon Pine (to 15 ft.) A very hardy species of pine. Will grow fine in hot. dry conditions. Produces an edible nut, which is delicious. Very dark green short needles. Slow growing. 2½-3 ft., \$5.50; 3-4 ft., \$7.00; 4-5 ft., \$10.00.



Montana Mugho Pine

P. montana var compacta; Dwarf Mugho Pine (to 5 ft.) A dense globose form. Should be kept trimmed. Very good for specimen. 18-24 in., \$4.50; 2-2½ ft., \$6.00; 2½-3 ft., \$8.00; 3-4 ft., \$10.00.



Colorado Blue Spruce

**P.** nigra; Austrian Pine (to 50 ft.) Resembles the Western Yellow Pine. Deep, rich green color. Growth close and compact. Long needles. 3-4 ft., \$8.50.

Use Tuffa Rock For Your Rockery

Much of the charm of a rock-garden depends on its setting. A rock garden is not primarily a pile of rocks; the rocks are employed for the purpose of providing proper conditions for the growing of plants. And the plants should be such that specially thrive in rock crevices and pockets. We have a limited supply of this unusual type of rock perfectly suited for rockeries. This rock is petrified, aquatic vegetation, and very porous, so that plants may be planted in the rock itself, where they will thrive well. A rockgarden properly placed, constructed, and maintained, and with a population of well-chosen and skillfully grown plants, constitutes one of the choicest departments of horticulture. Tuffa rock sold by the piece or ton. See our list of rockgarden plants beginning on page 28.

# Group DAHLIAS 1943

Those marked (W) are Wilmore Originations



Mrs. Verner Z. Reed (W) 1933

This new decorative dahlia is indeed a Dahlia of Distinction. It combines all the good qualities of a modern first-class dahlia. Upright, vigorous growth reaching a height of from 5 to 6 feet. Stems and trunk dark metallic shade. Stems very long and wiry holding the gorgeous flower in perfect position. Flowers range from 7-9 inches in diameter. By disbudding much larger. The color is a unique shading not often seen in a flower and one difficult to properly describe. Perhaps violet-lavender would be near to its color. Yet it has a shading of old rose and amber at the base of the petals. A strikingly handsome flower. Strong roots, \$1.00 each.



### Dahlmoor Jubilee (W)

In form I would class this new Introduction as a Hybrid Cactus. The plant is of upright growth with many side branches attaining a height of 5 feet.

Stems are dark metallic bronze. Leaves large and leathery in texture. Stems long and wiry holding the flower to full face view. In size it would be classed as medium to large; 7 to 8 inch diameter without disbudding. Color, rich American Beauty red without shading or variation in color, combining well with the dark metallic foliage. Prolific in root formation. Highly recommended. Strong roots, \$1.50 each.



### Dr. Henry Sewall II (W) 1932. Decorative

A companion flower to Mrs. Henry Sewall. Strong and erect in growth with strong healty foliage and an abundance of large fine flowers borne on long stems. Flowers medium to large, finely formed, and always full centered. Plant attains a height of 5 to 6 feet. In color a unique shade not often found in flowers. Perhaps the nearest description would be a red copper shade clear in tone. An early and constant bloomer holding its size throughout the season. Strong roots, \$1.00 each.



### Mrs. Henry Sewall (W) 1932. Hybrid Cactus

The plant is of extra strong growth with broad healthy leaves and strong side branches. Grows to a height of 4 to 5 feet. Flower stems are long and rigid, holding the flower well above the foliage with no suggestion even of drooping. Flowers are extra large with a diameter of 8 to 9½ inches naturally. By disbudding will reach a diameter of 11 to 12 inches. Petals are long and shaggy, curving backward giving a plume effect. Color, lemon yellow without shading or variation, nor does it show fading with age. An early and continuous bloomer. Price, roots, \$1.00 each.

### **Bargain Collections**

These collections are arranged for the convenience of the purchaser, especially those unfamiliar with varieties and those wanting a limited collection of choice varieties distinct in colors. Full descriptions will be found of each variety in the body of the Catalog.

As a liberal discount is already figured off, no further discounts allowed on any of these collections.

### Rainbow Collection

As the name suggests, this collection embraces a wide range of color and includes several of the most popular types.

A fine collection for a moderate price.

Set of 12 postpaid for \$7.00 (Catalogue value \$8.75).

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### Queens Jewels Collection

Like the above collection, this has a fine range of color. Many are of quite recent introduction. A fine collection at a modest outlay.

Set of 12 postpaid for \$4.75 (Catalogue value \$6.00)

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### The Diamond Collection

This popular collection has been our leading collection for many years. A fine collection at a very modest price. It changes from year to year, but always has the same excellent quality and range of colors and forms.

The 12 for \$2.50, post paid. (Full value \$3.50.)

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### Collection No. 2

Thirteen Choice Dahlias for \$1.50
This collection is our selection—unlabeled. No two alike.
Postpaid. In ordering say "COLLECTION No. 2"

### **Dahlias of Special Merit**

Various Types and Substitutes-Old and New.

Prices quoted are for strong tubers. Pigures to the right indicate height. Those marked (W) are Wilemore Originations.

Ft. High, Approximate. Ft. High, Approximate.

- **AVALON.** (Decorative.) One of the largest of dahlias, with fine stem, and a good keeper. Clear, rich yellow. Highly recommended. 50c each

- **DORIS WILMORE (W).** (Peony.) An exceptionally fine peony dahlia of large size. Long, erect stems and an excellent keeper as a cut flower. Color, rich apricot bronze. Highly recommended. 50c each.......

- DAHLMOOR OPALESCENT (W).
  Decorative. Flowers large, produced well above the foliage. Good stem and robust growth. Color, crushed strawberry with lavender shading.

- DAHLMOOR TWILIGHT (W). Decorative. Strong, healthy growth. Flowers large and produced in profusion. Color, a shading of opal, violet and fawn, 50c each......

- EDNA FERBER. (Hybrid Cactus.)
  Very large and full with curved shaggy petals. Stems long and rigid.
  Color, coral shaded to old gold. One of the best of modern dahlias. 50c each
- ELIZABETH LONG (W). (Hybrid Cactus). A very large flower of good form and substance. Stems long and rigid holding the flower to full face view. Color, a blending of amber, pink and bronze. 75c each... 5

- **GUARDIAN.** (Cactus.) Intense red. Flowers large with very narrow pointed petals. Stems long. 50c each.

Ft. High, Approximate.

- kiwanian. (W) (Peony). This dahlia has been the sensation among the peony types from its introduction in 1926. Of immense size on very long stems—18-24inches—showing well above the foliage. Color, rich American Beauty red. (The name was given by the Golden, Colorado, Kiwanis Club, August 25, 1925). 50c each.

Ft. High, Approximate.

- MRS. I. DE VER WARNER. (Decorative.) Large, perfect flowers of charming color; a deep mauve-pink, on stout stems. A good grower and free bloomer. Can be grown to a diameter of 11 inches. One of the best dahlias in cultivation. 50c each
- MRS. E. B. VAUGHAN. (Decorative.) A tall, early flowering variety with long stems. Flowers large and perfect in form. Color, orchid pink shading to light pink center. 50c each
- MYRA HOWARD. (Decorative.) A splendid and lively combination of yellow and gold, with salmon shading. 50c each......

- OPHIR (R. T. Davis). A superb decorative, borne on long fine stems, holding the flower to view. Flowers medium size with full center. Color, rich old gold with amber shading, reminding one of the popular Lucy Davis. Fine exhibition flower. 50c each
- tive.) An immense flower with broad flat petals. Probably the largest of the decorative reds. A sturdy grower. Stems medium length. Color, vivid red. 50c each....

Ft. High,

RUTH JACQUELINE. (Davis) Cactus, 1924. A strong, robust plant, throwing numerous side branches. Flowers large and perfect in form. Stems exceptionally long and strong. Color clear canary yellow. One of the very best of the yellows. 50c each. 3

TOMMY ATKINS. (Decorative.) The ideal scarlet. One of the most vivid colors among dahlias. Flowers large and full. Stems long and erect. Among the very best of dahlas. 50c each \_\_\_\_\_\_\_4

 Ft. High, Approximate.

### Standard Dahlias

Prices in this list, 25 Cents each Various Types—C., Cactus; D., Decorative; S., Show

> Ft. High, Approximate.

A. D. LIVONI. (S.) Rich pink, finely formed. A very handsome flower.... 3

 Ft. High, Approximate.

GOLDEN SPRAY (W). (S.) Large flowers borne on long stems and produced in profusion. Bright golden yellow. A superb variety for cutting

Ft. High,	Ft. High,
Approximate.	Approximate.
LA GRAND MANITOU. (D.) An immense flower. Color, purple mottled and streaked with crimson. Sometimes solid purple. Very attractive 3	PURPLE GEM (W). (S.) Rich royal purple, clear and constant. This variety is a decided improvement over the old varieties. A first-class flower
WAID OF KENT. (D.) Intense scarlet, variegated with pure white; frequently a solid scarlet 4	<b>PURPLE MANITOU.</b> (D.) Extra large, clear purple. A sport from the popular La Grand Manitou; one of
MINA BURGLE. (D) A very free flowering sort. Flowers extra large	the best clear purples
and clear in color. Popular as a cutting variety. Dark vivid red, produced on good stems 4	yellow. An early and very prolific bloomer 3
<b>MOONBEAM (W.)</b> (D.) Large flower borne on excellent stems. Color, clear canary yellow. One of the very best of the light yellows. Blooms	STRADELLA. (S.) Large purple flower, rounded and full 4
very freely and an excellent keeper when cut	UNCERTAINTY. (Bon Maza). An old yet interesting variety. Bright red,
MRS. THOS. BURCH (W). (D.) Rich old gold. sometimes marked with	heavily marked with white. Some- times solid red 5
pink, shading to fawn, An ideal fall shade and one of the very best of the autumn tinted varieties. Flowers full size, stems long and rigid, fine for cutting	VICTORY (Kaiser Wilhelm). (S.) Of immense size and perfect form. Deep yellow, tipped and shaded with cherry red

# An Echo from the Long Ago

On Saturday last the editor was wearied and thankful that the day of rest was at hand. A package was brought in by express and deposited on our table. Opening it, there lay the grandest collection of dahlias that we have ever seen. Colored from bright orange to crimson, and almost black and in all their combinations, lay several dozen of such royal beauties as might put Solomon to envy by reason of their gorgeous wardrobe.

Everyone who beheld them caught their breath in delight and showered adjectives in abundance in describing their emotions.

The giver of this royal collection was W. W. Wilmore, grower of fruits and flowers \* \* \* \*.

(Clipping from the *Golden Globe*, Golden, Colorado, September 17, 1892)



### Pompon Novelty List—A Wigwam of Papooses

ALL ARE WILMORE INTRODUCTIONS-25c Each

Ft. High, Ft. High, Approximate. Approximate. BRONZE PAPOOSE (W). Rich bronze MARY ELLEN PAPOOSE (W). shaded with amber..... 3 (1931). Rose pink, fine long stem. CHEER BOY (1940). A neat little variegated pompon, purple tipped white as in all variegated varieties. Fine in every way..... 3 PALE FACE PAPOOSE (W). Light straw or sulphur yellow, fine form.... 3 This one also produces some blooms PINK PAPOOSE (W). Rose pink. An of clear purple...... 3 exceptionally free bloomer......2 1/2 GOLDEN PAPOOSE (W). Golden yel-low, shaded to cherry red...... 3 GOLD NUGGET PAPOOSE (W). Golden yellow. Fine form SHAWNEE PAPOOSE (W). (1932). Copper red shaded to amber. Long GOLDEN DAYS (1940). An exceptionally useful pompon for cutting stem and fine form..... SUNDANCE PAPOOSE. Canary yellow by reason of both color and length of stem. Golden-yellow shading to pale cherry tips. First-class in all slight shading of cherry at the tips 3 **WIGWAM PAPOOSE (W).** Golden yellow. Exceptionally good for cutting. respects Stems long and flower quite small.3 1/2 LITTLE CUB PAPOOSE (W). (1931). Vivid rich red, excellent stem and **WILD PAPOOSE (W).** Reddish bronze, densely quilled. Excellent form....... 3 SIX INTRODUCTIONS OF 1939

LITTLE VICTOR (W). Rich orange LITTLE CLOWN (W). Bright cherry shading to golden yellow. Good red to amber yellow. A beautiful stem and perfect form..... 3 autumn combination. Stems long LITTLE WILLIE (W). Very small. A straight. Fine ...... 4 free flowering dwarf variety. Bright LITTLE WHITE FEATHER. Pure white. The petals are so arranged LITTLE MADCAP (W). Rich autumn bronze. Sometimes variegated pale as to suggest a fluffy arrangement yellow with pink shadings 3 of white feathers. Stems extra long and straight. This novelty is a per-LITTLE JACK HORNER (W). Bright red with amber base. Fine form and stem. Excellent for cutting..... 4 fect miniature both as to form and

### Pompon Standard List

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(Practically all Pompons are ideal for cutting) PRICE 25c EACH; \$2.50 PER DOZEN

Note: To those not familiar with the varieties of Pompons, we will make up a collection of 13, no two alike, and giving the full range of color, for \$2.50.

Pompon dahlias are rapidly gaining popular favor once more. For cutting purposes they have no equal, lasting for days even in the hottest weather.

Ft. High, Approximate.
LITTLE BEESWING. Cherry red shaded amber. Excellent for cut-
minnie MELLOR. Orchid pink with good form and stem
ROSA WILMOTH. Rose pink. Ideal for cutting
tionally heavy bloomer. Bright red 3 WINIFRED. White, faint purple edge
YELLOW GEM. Pure yellow of excellent form and habit. The best of the yellows



### Gladiolus

A flower now so immensely popular that description is unnecessary. Plant at intervals up to June 20 to prolong the blooming season. Heavy fertilizing should be avoided. The following varieties and groups will be found very satisfactory:

### GROUP NO. 1

75c per dozen; \$4.00 per 100 ALBATROSS. Large pure white. CHARLES DICKENS. Radiant purple. DR. BENNETT. Flame scarlet. DR. MOODY. A large lavender. EARLY SUNRISE. Flame red (early). GIANT NYMPH. Pink: extra large. GLORIANA. Orange salmon. GOLDEN DREAM. Beautiful soft yel-MARMORA. Smoky lavender.

MRS. LEON DOUGLAS. Rose, striped searlet.

MRS. P. W. SISSON, Lovely cameo pink. MRS. DR. NORTON. Pink, yellow throat.

Gladioli in Mixture, 35c per doz. \$2.50 per 100 Prepaid to 4th zone only

### GROUP No. 2

\$1.00 per dozen; \$6.00 per 100

AIDA. Rich, deep violet purple.

BETTY NUTHALL. Salmon and yellow. MAID OF ORLEANS. Fine, large, white creamy throat.

MINUET. Best of the large lavenders. MISS ALAMEDA. Tall medium pink, large pink throat.

MOTHER MACHREE. Soft lavender and subdued orange with an overcast of

OUR SELECTION. Salmon-red, flecked with deeper shades.

PICARDY. Shrimp pink. Extra fine. RED PHIPPS. Beautiful glowing red. RUFFLED GOLD. Very ruffled, golden yellow

SALBACH'S ORCHID. Fine lavender pink.

W. H. PHIPPS. Bright salmon-pink.

### **Peonies**

NOT PREPAID BEYOND THE 4TH ZONE (600 MILES)

Fall orders for Peonies cannot be filled before October



Field of Peonies in Full Bloom

Fine, hardy plants, rivaling the rose in perfection of bloom, color and fragrance. They are at home in any climate or soil, but thrive best in a deep, rich, well-drained loam. They make a gorgeous display planted in beds, on the lawn, or planted singly along the walk or herbaceous border. The Peony is perfectly hardy and generally able to care for itself, but it does not follow that they enjoy neglect. Give them ample room in which to grow, keeping them free from weeds and grass, and they will amply repay all the care given. A word to beginners: Use no fertilizer of any kind on newly set Peonies. Don't be alarmed when you see your newly set Peonies begin to turn brown in July and appear to be quite dead in August. This is natural. They will be on hand again in the spring.

The following varieties embrace a wide range of color and will be found very satisfactory. Prices quoted are for strong divisions.

Fine old favorites for beds or border. They have a wide range of gorgeous colors and delightfully fragrant.

Fertilizers should not be applied to new-set peonies.

**BARONESS SCHROEDER.** Delicate flesh, changing to white. Flowers very large. An extra fine peony. 75c each.

**DUKE OF WELLINGTON.** Ivory white with creamy white center. Very large. An extra fine peony, 50c each.

**EARLY ROSE.** This is an old peony, but one of the most reliable. 50c each.

**FELIX CROUSSE.** The well known brilliant dark red. The leader among reds. 75c each.

**FESTIVA MAXIMA.** A rare variety of great beauty. Exceedingly showy and of large size. Pure snowy white, flaked with small crimson spots at center. Finest white in cultivation. 50c each.

**GOLDEN HARVEST.** Blush guard petals; center petals narrow, showing yellow stamens. 50c each.

**JEANNE d' ARC.** One of the best of all the light pink varieties. Medium pink shading to almost white. Very fragrant. 75c each.

**KARL ROSENFELD.** Rich velvety crimson. Large globular flower. 75c each. A popular red.

LADY LENORA BRAMWELL. Very large and sweet. Silver rose. Due each.

MAD. BREON. Flesh and lemon, changing to white. 50c each.

**MODEL DE PERFECTION.** Silver pink. Large and sweet. 50c each.

MONS. JULES ELIE. The peerless pure pink. Broad reflexing guards with a high pyramidal body. One of the largest, handsomest and most lasting cutting sorts in existence. 75c each.

**OFFICINALIS RUBRA.** (Old Red.) Flowers of a bright crimson, quite double and globular. Very early and fine Two-year-old clumps. 75c each.

**PRESIDENT TAFT.** (Reine Hortense) Among the best of all peonies. Large full flower, delightfully fragrant. Color a delicate shell pink. A vigorous free bloomer. 75c each.

**PRINCESS BEATRICE.** Pink guard petals, center creamy pink. Late bloomer. 50c each.

**ROSEA SUPERBA.** Fine, full rosy pink. Extra choice flower. Very free and early bloomer. 50c each.

(NOTE—There is a very general impression that peonies must be set in the fall. This is a bit of nonsense. If peony stock has been dug in the fall and held over winter in damp storage they will do fully as well when set in the early spring.)

### **PERENNIALS**

Hardy Perennial and Rock Garden Plants Prepaid at prices quoted

### STRONG FIELD-GROWN PLANTS

### (R. G. Indicates Rock Garden Plants)

No flower garden is complete without collection of these most valuable ants. With a little care they may be nlants ply of flowers from early spring to autumn frosts. They require far less care than the annuals or bedding plants, and may be used to good advantage to fill odd corners, along fences, and to screen unsightly objects. They are perfectly hardy, and yet for winter they should have a slight covering of leaves or other litter. Care charls also or other litter. Care should also be taken to prevent pools of water standing on them during winter.

#### ACHILLEA-YARROW

Yarrows are grown in borders and the smaller species in rock-gardens, and bloom in the spring and summer, often lasting until autumn. They are of lasting easy culture.

Achillea filipendulina; Fernleaf Yarrow. (3 to 4 ft.) Flat heads of brilliant yellow flowers, finely cut foliage. Blooms last dried all winter. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Achillea millefolium roseum; Rosy Milfoil (R. G.) (to 18 in.) Head of soft rose flowers, finely cut foliage. June-August. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

A. ptarmica; The Pearl. Pure white, double flowers all summer. Prized for cutting. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### ALTHEA-HOLLYHOCKS

Althea rosea; Hollyhocks (4 to 6 ft.) Double flowered, strong field roots. As a background in large borders or beds of the lower herbaceous plants, there is nothing better. Separate colors—Red, Pink, Yellow, White, Buff, Black, Lilac. Maroon. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

### ALYSSUM-MADWORT

A few are grown in rock-gardens and borders, in open or sunny locations. They require the usual culture for perennials.

Alvssum saxatile compactum; Rock Madwort (R. G.) (10 in ) Sometimes called a "Basket of Gold." Low sprawling habit of growth, producing masses of bright yellow flowers in May. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### ANCHUSA-BUGLOSS

Anchusa myosotidifiora; Siberian Buloss (1 ft.) Clusters of charming blue gloss (1 ft.) Clusters of charming flowers resembling Forget-Me-Nots. effective rock plant for shady places. May. 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

### ANTHEMUS-CAMOMILE

Anthemis kelwayi; Golden Marguerite. (3 ft.) Handsome, finely cut foliage, and large golden yellow flowers produced all summer. Succeeds in the poorest soil, excellent cut flowers. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### AQUILEGIA—COLUMBINE

Columbines are favorites in the rock-gardens and the perennial border. They thrive in light sandy loam.

Aquilegia coerulea; Rocky Mt. Blue Columbine. (2 ft.) Large blue flowers with long spurs, center creamy white. Best of the Columbines. 25c cach; \$2.50 per dozen.

A. Crimson Star. This remarkable novelty combines all the charm of the ordinary Aquilegia with other qualities, This remarkable which make it more effective as a gar-den plant. Its flowers are very large with crimson sepals and spurs, and white petals; and entirely new color in Columbines. 35c each; \$3.50 per

A. Chrysantha (Golden Columbine). Very slender, dainty, long-spurred Columbine of a golden yellow color, blooming later than the long-spurred hybrids. Late June and July and attains a height of 2½ to 3 feet. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

### ASCLEPIAS-MILKWEED

Asclepias tuberosa; Butterfly Weed (R. G.) (18 in.) Bright orange flowers. seed pods very decorative. July-August. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### ASTER-MICHAELMAS DAISY

Falk's Victory. A very fine dwarf variety attaining 12 inches in height. Light blue flowers; excellent for border work. 35c ea; \$3.50 per doz.

Asters, Hardy; Michaelmas Daisies (3 to 4 ft.) Late-blooming, very showy. We offer four colors only—Blue, Blush, Lavender and Pink. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

BARY BREATH (See Gypsophila)

BLEEDING HEART (See Dicentra)

BUTTERCUP (See Ranunculus)

### CAMPANULA-BELLFLOWER

Campanulas are popular for the flow-er-garden, rockery and borders.

tampanula carpatica; Carpathian Harebell. A pretty species growing in compact tufts not exceeding 8 inches high; flowers clear blue, held erect on wiry stems. It begins blooming in June, continuing until October. As an edging for hardy border or for the rockery it is unsurpassed. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen. Campanula carpatica; \$3.50 per dozen.

Campanula glomerata var. superba. A Campanula that should be in every garden 18 inches. June and July. Deep violet flowers. 35c each; \$3.50 per doz.

Campanula medium; Canterbury Bells. (2 ft.) Pendant bell-shaped blossoms, in colors of Pink. Blue and White. mixed. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

Campanula persicifolia; Peachleaf Bellflower. (3 ft.) Large bright blue flowers making an effective contrast. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### CENTRANTHUS-JUPITERSBEARD

Centranthus ruber; Red Valerian (3 ft.) Glaucous perennial. Flowers crimson or pale red. fragrant. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### CERASTIUM-MOUSE EAR

Cerastium tomentosum; Snow-in-Summer (R G.) (3 in.) Silvery-white foliage, white flowers. May. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### CHRYSANTHEMUM

Chrysanthemum maximum; Alaska Daisy (2 ft.) Immense snow-white flowers, 4 in. in diameter. Blooms through the season. One of the best daisies grown. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

C. Double Shasta Daisy; G. Marconi. The most outstanding Shasta Daisy yet introduced. Free flowering habit, long stems, with large showy double flowers, with crinkled and fluted petals. A fine novelty and should be in every garden. 75c ea., \$7.50 per doz.

We can highly recommend all the following varieties of Hardy Chrysanthemums. This list represents the best of many varieties we have tried out in the past three years.

(Prices, 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen, except as noted.)

Amelia; Pink Cushion. The dwarfest of mums, not over 10 inches high. completely covered with pink blossoms so that the plant resembles an Azalea. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

**Chestnut Burr.** Quaintly formed blooms of a deep chestnut red color, flowering first of October.

**Crimson Splendor.** A magnificent and distinct variety producing masses of rich crimson-maroon flowers, intensified with deep garnet tones, and contrasting with a prominent golden yellow center. The flowers are large, fully 4 inches in diameter, with exceptional keeping qualities. Blooms in late September.

**Fern Ridge.** Single fiery-red with high orange center, making a beautiful contrast. Strong grower and profuse bloomer. Flowers first of October.

Fred Peels. A very pretty button yellow, petals tipped maroon.

Harvest. Large straw colored flowers, fine for cutting. Blooms in September.

L'Argentuillas. Bronze flowers tipped yellow, of medium height. Early large flowering.

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge. A fine example of the single type, rich cardinal-red.

**Provence.** Soft pink blended with yellow. Compact in growth, very free. First rate in every way.

Ruth Cummings. Very fine outdoor Chrysanthemum of a rich bronze terracotta in color.

**Vivid.** A very striking and effective variety, color a rosy crimson or amaranth shade, new to the earlier flowering Chrysanthemums. Blooms in September.

White Doty. Late flowering, tall and upright, very stiff stem carries flowers high. A splendid, pure white pompom.

### COLUMBINE

(See Aquilegia)

### COREOPSIS-TICKSEED

Coreopsis lanceolata grandifiora (2 ft.) Large yellow daisy-like flowers. June and July. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

### DELPHINIUM-LARKSPUR

Delphinium Belladonna, "The Heavenly Blue" Delphinium. Flowers on long spikes, sky-blue and good for cutting. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**Bellamosa.** Very similar to the above only of a dark blue color. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Gold Medal Hybrids. Extraordinary long spikes and choice range of colors through the blues to the pinks and orchids. Very beautiful. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### DIANTHUS-PINK

Dianthus barbatus; Old Pashioned Sweet William (R. G). (15 in.) An old favorite, which needs no description. Mixed colors. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen. All red, 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

**D.** plumarius; Clove Pinks (R. G.) (12 in.) This is the only carnation pink we can truly recommend as being hardy. Delightfully fragrant. Mixed colors. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

**D.** deltoides; **Maiden Pink.** A beautiful little prostrate plant with narrow leaves, and bearing a profusion of glowing crimson red flowers during June and July; a most striking rock plant. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

D. latifolius atrococcineus, Fl. Pl. (R. G.) (18 in.) Everblooming Japanese Sweet William. Fiery crimson. All summer. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### DICENTRA

Dicentra spectabilis; Bleeding Heart (18 in.) Graceful sprays of heart-shaped pink and white flowers. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

### DICTAMNUS-BURNING BUSH

Dictamus alba var. rubra; Purple Burningbush (to 3 ft.) Pink flowers in long terminal racemes. Very fragrant and lasting. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### DRYOPTERIS-WOODFERN

Dryopteris Felix-mas; Colorado Male Fern (R. G.) Grows in partly shaded situations. The large fronds form a vase-like cluster about the crown and are of durable texture and nearly evergreen. It retains, therefore, its splendid appearance throughout the season. 50e each; \$5.00 per dozen.

### ERIGERON-FLEABANE

Erigeron speciosus var. grandifiorus; Purple Oregon Fleabane. (2 ft.) Large, handsome blue flowers, violet tinted and yellow centers, during June and July; fine for cutting. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### EUPHORBIA-SPURGE

Euphorbia myrsinites; Spurge (R. G.) A pretty prostrate species with bluish foliage. One of the earliest things to bloom. Bright yellow crowded heads. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

FERNS (Hardy)
(See Dryopteris)

FORGET-ME-NOT (See Myosotis)

### GAILLARDIA-BLANKET PLOWER

Gaillardia grandiflora; Blanket Plower (2 ft.) Blooms all summer. Flowers deep red with yellow border. 20c each; \$2.00 per dozen.

GOLDENROD (See Solidago)

### GYPSOPHILA

Gypsophila paniculata; Baby's Breath (2 ft.) A beautiful perennial. Blooms in a spherical mass of minute, purewhite flowers. 25c each; \$2.50 per doz.

Gypsophila Fl. Fl.; Double Baby's Breath (3 ft.) A double form of the above. Blooms two weeks later. Much finer than the single form. 50c each; \$5.00 per dozen.

#### HELIANTHEMUM-SUN ROSE

Helianthemum mutabile; Rock or Sun-Rose (R. G.) (12 in.) Mixed, varying in color from yellow and white to rose and purple. June and July. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### HEMEROCALLIS-DAYLILY

Hemerocallis flava; Lemon Lily (2½ ft.) A most useful variety, growing about 2 feet high, with clusters of lily-like flowers of a rich lemon-yellow. Fragrant. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

H. The Gem. Rich, deep orange-yellow flowers on  $3\frac{1}{2}$  to 4-foot stems. In full bloom June 20th. Very finely formed bloom, equal to the best lilies; truly a gem. 35c; 3.50 per doz.

**H. Gypsy.** Brilliant deep orange flowers on 3-foot slender stem. In full bloom early July till August. Stems are slender and plant is of medium size. A showy plant for the small border. 35c; \$3.50 per doz.

**H. J. A. Crawford.** Rich apricot-yellow shaded light cadmium. Many flowers on 4-foot stems; at their best about June 25th. A lovely plant which looks well in light shade. 35c; \$3.50 per doz.

### HIBISCUS-ROSEMALLOW

**Hibiscus; Rose Mallow** (5 ft.) Very large, single blossoms. Colors—Red, Pink and White, mixed. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

HOLLYHOCK
(See Althea)

#### IRIS

Late introductions of special merit. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Ambassadeur. Bronze and violet.

Anna Farr. Pale blue.

**Bruno.** Large. Deep, rich purple. shaded bronze.

Dream. Lilac and violet.
Lord of June. Lavender blue.
Lent Williamson. Violet.
Mother of Pearl. Pearl.
Mme. Gaudichau. Purple.
Orifiamme. Dark lavender.

Pallida Dalmatica. Lavender. Siberica. Dark blue. Yellow. Old favorite.

Iris pumila. A dwarf edging Iris. Blooms very early. Dark navy blue. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### LARKSPUR

(See Delphinium)

LEMON LILY
(See Hemerocallis)

### LILIUM-LILY

L. regale; Royal or Regal Lily. Flower stems are slender and flexible but tense as steel and from 2 to 4 feet tall, covered with dense narrow foliage and crowned with a profusion of funnel-shaped blooms, the outside of which are streaked brown and shading off to pink. The inside is flushed yellow in center, shading off to pure white at the outer edge. Sweet scented. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

L. tenuifolium; Coral Lily. A small, tender growing lily, not more than eighteen inches high, with bright scarlet flowers and recurved petals. One of the prettiest little lilies in cultivation. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

Lilium tigrinum var. flore-pleno; Tiger Lily (6 ft.) A double form of this old garden favorite. 25c each.; \$2.50 per dozen.

### LIMONIUM-SEA LAVENDER

Limonium latifolium; Sea Lavender or Statice (18 in.) All these plants have broad, leathery leaves. Bloom in globular heads. Flowers lavender, and if cut in full bloom will make valuable winter bouquets. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### LINUM-FLAX

Linum perenne; Blue Hardy Flax (18 in.) Blooms almost all summer. Blue flowers in the morning. July-August. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### LUPINUS-LUPINE

Lupinus hybridus; Hybrid Lupines (3 ft.) Flowers borne on long spikes pea shaped. Must be planted where there is plenty of moisture. June-July. In sparate colors—Blue, Pink and White. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### LYCHNIS-CAMPION OR CATCHFLY

Lychnis coronaria; Rose Campion. Agrostemma (Mullein Pink). Bright rosy crimson. (2½ to 3 ft.) Best variety for average American gardens. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### MYOSOTIS-FORGET-ME-NOT

Myosotis alpestris; Alpine Forget-Me-Not (R. G.) (8 in.) An exceptional ground cover. Familiar plant, producing quantities of blue blossoms in the spring. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### MYRTLE (See Vinca)

### NEPETA-GROUND IVY OR CATNIP

Nepeta hederacea (glechoma); Ground-Ivy. A hairy, creeping perennial; stems leafy, making a dense mat, and green on both sides. A good ground cover and rockery plant. 35c each: \$3.50 per

Nepeta mussini; an excellent plant for any position, but especially useful in the rock garden. Of dwarf, compact habit, producing masses of bloom of a beautiful shade of lavender all spring and intermittently during the 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen. summer.

### PAPAVER-POPPY

Papaver orientale; Oriental Poppy (4 ft.) This poppy is perfectly hardy. Its large, orange-scarlet flowers make it one of the most showy of all plants. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### BEARD TONGUE PENTSTEMON-

Pentstemon barbatus; (6 ft.) Spikes f bright scarlet flowers from June till August. A very effective plant for the border. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

- **P. Blue Gem.** A very fine variety, covered from top to bottom with opalescent flowers. A beautiful border plant. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- P. hirsutus (pubescens); Eastern Pentstemon; stems 24 inches high, covered with violet flowers shading to a fleshpink; excellent for hot, dry places in the border; is also a very fine wall or rock plant. It enjoys hot dry exposures. 35c plant. It enjoys hot deach; \$3.50 per dozen.

### PEONIES

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### PHLOX

Phlox, Hardy (2 to 4 ft.) We can furnish the following colors in this most popular well-known perennial: white—white with pink eye; pink; salmon-pink; rose-pink; pink, with red eye; lavender; scarlet; red, and reddish-purple. 30c each; \$3.00 per dozen.

Phlox divaricata; Blue Phlox. of our native species, which is worthy of extensive planting, commencing to bloom early in April, and continuing through May, with large, fragrant, lavender flowers on stems 10 inches high. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Phlox subulata; Ground or Moss Phlox (R. G.) (4 in.) A dwarf, creeping form of Phlox. Splendid rock garden plant. Equally good for border and ground cover work. A mass of blooms April-May. In two separate colors, pink and lavender. 30c each; \$3.00 per

> PAINTED DAISY (See Pyrethrum)

PINKS-HARDY CLOVE (See Dianthus)

> POPPY (See Papaver)

### PLATYCODON-BALLOON-PLOWER

Platycodon grandiflorum  $(2\frac{1}{2}$  ft.) Differing from Campanula chiefly in the opening of the caps. Flowers deep blue, open bell-shaped, to 2 inches across, June-July. 25c each; \$2.50 solitary. ner dozen

### POLEMONIUM

Polemonium caeruleum; Greek-Valerian. Sometimes called "Jacobs-Lader." (3 ft.) Blue flowers, 1 inch across, drooping. Bushy plant of graceful growth. Useful in rock-garden and border. 35c each: \$3.50 per dozen.

#### PYRETHRUM-PAINTED

Pyrethrum roseum var. kelwayi. Kelay's Painted Daisy. (18 inches.) A way's Painted Daisy. (18 inches.) A brilliant red form of Pyrethrum, very fine, fern-like foliage. each; \$2.50 per dozen.

#### RANINCHLUS-RUTTERCUP

Banunculus acris var. Fl. Pl.; Tall Buttercup (2 ft.) Very pretty golden-yellow, double flowers. 25c each: en-yellow, doub \$2.50 per dozen.

### RED-HOT-POKER (See Tritoma)

### SCABIOSA

Scabiosa caucasica; Pin Cushion Flower (18 in.) Sometimes called "Blue Bonnet." Soft shade of lavender. June-September. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### SEDUM-STONECROP

Sedum acre; Gold Moss. Much used for covering graves; foliage green; flowers bright yellow; prostrate and slowly spreading. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

- altissimum. Evergreen to 1 foot. Greenish white flowers to ½ in. across in summer. 35c each: \$3.50 per dozen.
- S. ewersi; Ewers Stonecrop. A very ice variety of sub-trailing habit. coliage is glaucous gray. In October nice Foliage is glaucous gray. In October the plant is covered with rose-colored flowers. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- S. Hispanicum var. minus; Spanish Stonecrop. (R. G.) (2 in.) Perennial with glaucous-blue foliage, yellow flow ers. Very dwarf form. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.
- S. kamtschaticum; Orange Stonecrop. Orange-yellow flowers with prostate, green foliage, turning golden in autumn. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.
- maximowiczi; Amur Stonecrop. Bright yellow flowers. 1 foot. July and August. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

Sedum spurium var. coccineum; Two-Row Sedum (to 6 ft.) Creeping peren-nial, forming mats, nearly evergreen, leaves turning reddish in winter. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

stoloniferum: Running Stonecrop. Most desirable; evergreen leaves; flowers purplish pink. July and August. Excellent for rock garden. 6 inches. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### SIDALCEA-GREEK-MALLOW

Sidalcea nervata var. rosea. growing, more or less branching plants. 2 to 3 feet in height, producing their showy bright rose-colored flowers during June and July. They will succeed in any garden soil in a sunny position. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

### SILENE-CATCHFLY OR CAMPION

Silene schafta; Autumn Catchfly. charming border or rock plant, growing from 4 to 6 inches high, with masses of bright pink flowers from July to October. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen

#### SOLIDAGO-GOLDEN ROD

Solidago; Golden Rod (4 to 5 ft) vigorous, strong-growing, graceful plant, producing golden yellow blooms in September. 25c each ;\$2.50 per dozen

### STACHYS-WOUNDWORT

Stachys lanata: Lamb's-Ears. old-fashioned cottage garden plant for edging; useful in rock garden; dwarf, soft silvery foliage, flowers useless. 4 inches. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

> STATICE (See Limonium)

SWEET WILLIAM (See Dianthus)

### TRITOMA-TORCH LILY OR POKER PLANT

Tritoma pfitzeriana; Red-Hot Poker (2 ft.) Grass-like foliage. Flowers in tall, dense spikes of brilliant red; slender trumpet-like flowers. 50c each; \$5.00 ner dozen

### TUNICA-TUNIC FLOWER

saxifraga; Coatflower. Tunica pretty tufted plant with light pink flowers, produced all summer about 6 inches high: for the rockery or border. 35c each: \$3.50 per dozen.

### VERONICA-SPEEDWELL

Veronica longifolia var. subsessilis; Clump Speedweil. (2 ft.) July to September. One of the handsomest blueflowering plants. Perfectly hardy and increases in strength and beauty each increases in strength and beauty each year. Spikes completely studded with beautiful blue flowers; fine for cutting and one of the best plants for the bardy border. 35c each; \$3.50 per dozen.

V. spuria; Bastard Speedwell. "Royal Blue." Blue." Beautiful spikes of rich gentian blue flowers. 10 to 15 inches. June and July flowering. 35c each; \$3.50 per

VINCA—PERIWINKLE
Vinca minor; Running Myrtle.
ing evergreen. Flowers lilac-blue. Good
ground cover. Sometimes called "Periwinkle." 25c each; \$250 per dozen

#### VIOLA-VIOLET

Nearly all Violas thrive best in par-tial shade and fairly rich soil. They require plenty of moisture and a win-ter covering of leaves or evergreen boughs.

viola cornuta; Tufted Pansy. Very desirable edging plant, blooming continuously from early spring to late fall. Popular forms in the following colors: white, yellow, apricot, purple, violet and blue. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### YUCCA

Yucca filamentosa; Adam's Needle (to 3 ft.) Nearly stemless leaves to 2½ feet long and 1 inch wide. Flowers nearly white, to 2 inches long. This plant with its broad sword-like evergreen foliage is indispensable in landscape work. Good for rock work. 25c each; \$2.50 per dozen.

### INSECT PESTS COMMON TO EVERGREENS

The two most common insects that infest the Juniper and Spruce family, are red spider and aphis, or aphids as they are also known. Red spider is detected Red spider is detected red spider and apnis, or applies as they are also known. Red spider is detected readily by the foliage turning to a yellowish green, and later to brown dead needles when the infestation gets real bad; usually starting near the ground on upright growing trees, but appearing most any place on the prostrate or low growing types. Treatment: A dusting of lime-sulphur to the infested area, or by spraying with two tablespoons full of carpenter's liquid glue, to a gallon of water mixed warm. Aphis are readily seen in colonies upon close examination, usually on the underneath side of the branches, or on the main stem near the top of the tree. Where ants are noticed working around the branches of Evergreen, it is generally a sign of aphis being there. Easily controlled by spraying with black-leaf-forty, a tablespoon full to a gallon of water.

### CHANGE YOUR SOIL

It is advisable to change the location of the dahlia bed every two or three years. Most all plants are improved by change of soil and the dahlia is no exception. Flowers will be larger and better and the root development decidedly better. In many yards this change would seem to be impractical, as but one location has been left for the dahlia row and to make a change would necessitate the removal of other plants where this obstacle would be in the way and no new location is available. Soil may be removed from one portion of the yard in exchange for soil from the dahlia bed. Dig a trench eight inches deep and two feet wide and exchange soil for soil in some other portion of the yard or bring in new soil from some other source.

August 12, 1935.

We want you to know how much we appreciate the planting you have put in for us, at our residence. It is a constant source of pleasure to us, and the stock furnished has done very well indeed. The Rose bed is a "beauty"; I have found it pays to buy good Roses, even if they do cost more.

> (Signed) S. J. KESTER. 2074 Leyden Street, Denver.

# How to Grow and Care for Dahlias



F POSSIBLE, plant in an open, sunny situation. Prepare the soil thoroughly by deep digging. Be moderate in the use of both manure and water. Never plant when the soil is wet. Lay the tuber flat on its side and cover it four inches deep, pressing the soil firmly on the tuber. Keep the soil loose and mellow by frequent hoeing,

drawing the soil to a slight hillock around the plant.

Tall growing varieties may be kept fairly dwarf by pinching out the tip when the first shoot is six inches high. All varieties growing above four feet should be tied to stout stakes to hold them in position.

3x3 feet is about the proper distance to plant apart.

Keep all dead flowers trimmed off.

Dahlia blooms keep much better if cut in the evening—about sunset—and the less foliage taken off with the flowers, the better for both plant and flower. If green is desired, use some other green of better keeping qualities.

After frost has killed the tops, dig the tubers carefully, remove the soil from the roots, and store away in a box or barrel secure from frost. As a precaution it would be well to cover the tubers so stored with sand, leaves or moss.

All clumps should be divided into several pieces before being reset the following spring.

# Our Guarantee

We sell only the very best of stock; healthy and sound in every respect. To guarantee the life of any nursery item, in the hands of another person should not be expected. Improper planting as well as lack of care and attention later,—especially insuffcient watering, are the greatest causes of mortality in nursery stock. As most of this is beyond our control, once out of our hands,—we give the following guarantee only:

Where we do the planting, we will replace free of charge any stock failing to leaf out; however, if we are to plant the replace item or items, a proper charge is to be made on same, usually running 20% of the original purchase price. Where Customer does the planting, we will replace at half-price only, on items that fail prior to Sept. 1st, following planting of same. All claims for replacement must be in our hands by this date (Sept. 1st), as we do not assume responsibility for Winter-kill on Spring-planted stock, and cannot entertain replacements from this cause. It is further mutually agreed between Purchaser and W. W. WILMORE NURSERIES, that the latter shall at no time be liable for replacement, in any amount or size greater than originally sold.

# Colorado Grown Nursery Stock



OLORADO grown nursery stock has demonstrated over and over again its superior merit and adaptability to severe and trying locations and situations.

There are several reasons for this, among which are altitude and therefore slower development, which produces a harder wood fibre. and shrubs in high altitudes ripen and shed their foliage much earlier than in lower altitudes and warmer climates, thus enabling them to enter the winter period in better condition to withstand its rigor. Another important factor is that our climate is practically rainless during the growing season. An irrigation system supplying the water needs, develops a wonderful root action. rendering the transplanting far less hazardous. Nearly all the trees and shrubs listed in this catalog have been grown on the premises and are well ripened and thrifty. The exceptions are Roses and Fruits. These are procured from growers in lower but northern latitudes for the reason that limited growing acreage renders their growing impractical.

Perhaps a word of warning is not out of place. Trees and shrubs should be purchased only from nurseries which have been inspected and certified by proper authorities as being free from injurious insect pests and diseases — or from persons who procure their stock from inspected nurseries. Otherwise the purchaser may be buying infested or infected stock, which may later have to be destroyed.